



Retraction notice to " Microwave-activated direct synthesis of acrylonitrile from glycerol under mild conditions: effect of niobium as dopant of the V-Sb oxide catalytic system. " [Applied Catalysis B: Environmental volume (2009) 192-196]

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After a thorough investigation, it has been confirmed that the authors were unable to reproduce the data that was produced in the article. Initially it was informed in the article that glycerol was efficiently

converted to acrylonitrile at 100°C in a batch reactor using microwave radiation. This result prompted a collaboration to scale up this process but the data cannot be reproduced. Multiple approaches have been attempted to reproduce them without success.

Authors would like to apologize for the inconvenience caused.

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